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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional) PSTM0009/MRK

In re Application of David Allison Bennett, et al.

Application Number 09/684,869

Filing Date 10/06/2000

For Reporting Shipping Rates and Delivery Schedules for Multiple Services and Multiple Carriers

Art Unit 3629

Examiner Jamisue A. Plucinsk

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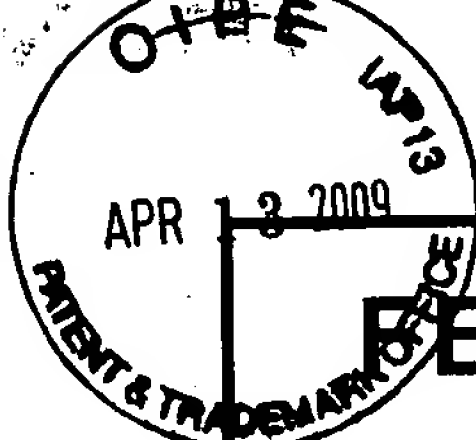
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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- ☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 501574 Deposit Account Name: Khorsandi Patent Law Group, ALC
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Total Claims 16 - 43 (HP) = 0 Extra Claims Fee (\$)

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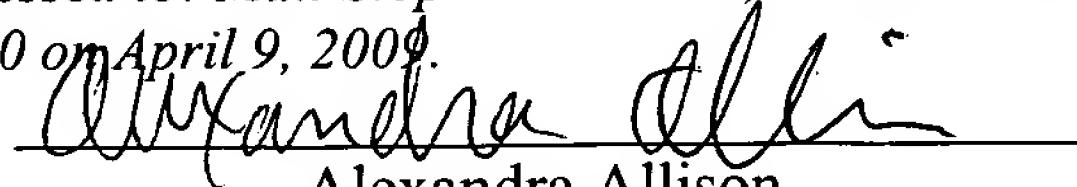
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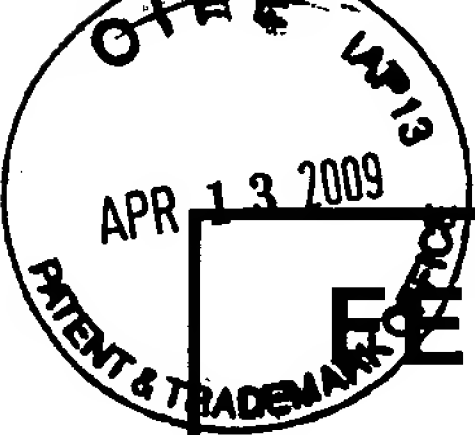
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